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Bindu Rama Rao

Serial No.: 10/706,219

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Title: FIRMWARE UPDATE IN
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EMPLOYING SIM CARD FOR
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Sir:

This paper is submitted as an inquiry as to the status of the application identified above.

More than two years have passed since the filing of this application on November 12, 2003, accompanied by a return post-card. A Filing Receipt was received February 17, 2004. A Request for Corrected Filing Receipt was submitted February 23, 2004. A Corrected Filing Receipt was received March 22, 2004. No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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